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ARTICLE IN JAPANESE ENGLISH-LANGUAGE PAPER MENTIONED PARA 3 REFTEL
PROVED TO BE BANGKOK-DATELINE UPI DISPATCH REPORTING GUERILLA AT-
TACK ON POLICE POST. SECOND PARA SAID QUOTE US AMBASSADOR CHARLES
WHITEHOUSE WAS VISITING A THAI ARMY HEADQUARTERS 75 MILES FROM THE
WEEKEND FIGHTING, BUT HE WAS NOT INVOLVED IN THE CLASH, DIPLOMATIC
SOURCES SAID, END QUOTE. PARAS FOUR AND FIVE OF SIX PARA STORY
NOTED THAT PHITSANULOK, WHERE AMBASSADOR ARRIVED OCTOBER 31, IS
QUOTE LOCAL AREA COMMAND...WHERE A US ARMY ADVISOR OVERSEES AMERI-
CAN AID SHIPMENTS TO THE THAI ARMED FORCES END QUOTE AND QUOTED
DIPLOMATS AS SAYING TRIP SCHEDULED LONG BEFORE FIGHTING AND AMBAS-
SADOR NOT EVEN AWARE OF BATTLE.
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